An Investment in Latino Youth

ASPIRA's
Capabilities in
Information
Technology

Rated one of the top ten charities
by Money Magazine

Ranked as the largest Latino non-profit
by Hispanic Business Magazine

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Community Access Community Technology Centers (CTCs)

- **34** Operational CTCs across the country
- **22** planned
- **70** CTCs Total by March 2002 (see U.S. Map)

Cisco Systems Regional Academies

ASPIRA de PR- Cisco Reg. Acad.
ASPIRA Nat.- Cisco Reg. Acad.

Information Systems

ASPIRA National Internet-Based **Management Information System (MIS)** national model for data collection

ASPIRA Management

- All ASPIRA Associates (8) networked
- All offices connected via broadband
- All staff (800) with ASPIRA e-mails
- Trained Technology Specialists at each Associate office

Computer Literacy Curriculum

- How to use a Computer
- Windows, Microsoft Office (Word, Power Point, Excel, Access)
- Introduction to the Internet, Internet Searches
- E-Mail, Microsoft Outlook
- Microsoft Publisher, Windows NT

Funders for Technology Initiatives

- U.S. Department of Ed. $1.9 million
- Microsoft - $1.7 million (software)
- Power Up - $1million in computers
- New York Life Foundation - $420,000
- AOL –Internet Accounts
- Verizon - $200,000

Internet/Web Capabilities

- ASPIRA Web site – over 1,000 pages, 5,000+ links
- 8 topic Web Sites, 7 Associates Web sites
- Web hosting for Associates, other Hispanic Organizations
- Powerful Extranet – resources for Associates
- Web-based e-mail system
- Significant web sites: parents: P.R. History

High Tech Training Programs

Local Cisco Systems Academies
Oracle Training, Adobe,
Web Development, Networking Engineer
Microsoft Certification

Basic Education Capabilities

- MAS Academy (*CASA MAS*)
- Web-based coursework in Basic Ed.

Partnerships

- Educational Testing Service
- The Learning Network
- Cisco Systems, Microsoft
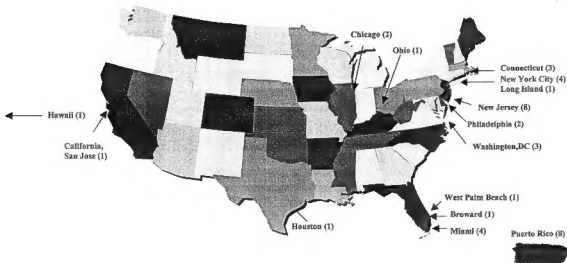- Power-Up, Oracle, CTCNet

Technical Support Capabilities

- National training on networking
- Direct On-Site TA by experts
- On-Line Training - Virtuoso
- Level 2 TA by National Office
- Web-based On-Line Help Desk

CTC's Locations

- Chicago (2)
- Ohio (1)
- Connecticut (3)
- New York City (4)
- Long Island (1)
- New Jersey (8)
- Philadelphia (2)
- Washington, DC (3)
- Hawaii (1)
- California, San Jose (1)
- West Palm Beach (1)
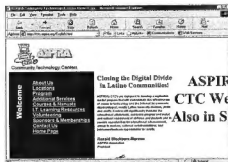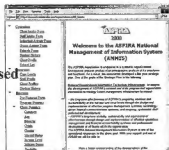- Broward (1)
- Miami (4)
- Puerto Rico (8)
- Houston (1)

ASPIRA's Capabilities in Information Technology

ASPIRA's Main Web Site and Selected Web Based Resources

ASPIRA's Home Page

ASPIRA's CTC Web Site Also in Spanish

Web Based MIS

ASPIRA's Extranet

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ASPIRA's CTC On-Line Courses in English and Spanish

ENGLISH

SPANISH

Other ASPIRA Web Sites

Interactive Training Site

Learn Spanish Site

ASPIRA MIS
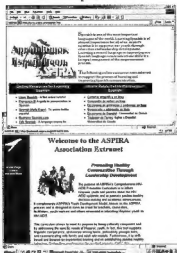
HIV/AIDS Site
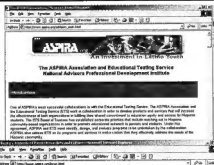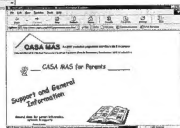
Puerto Rican History & Culture Site (IPRAC)

APEX Site

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Math and Science Educational Tools

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Partners & Funders

PowerUP

Microsoft

NY Life Foundation

Ameritech. SBC Foundation

AOL

verizon

U.S. Department of Education

Lucent Technologies
Bell Labs Innovations

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ctcnet *Community Technology Centers Network*

AT&T

LEARNING NETWORK